Mountain Weather Forecast

Lake District National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Thursday 02 May 2024 until 23:59 on Friday 03 May 2024

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 01 May 2024 at 16:21

Confidence: High for dry, settled weather on Thursday then risk of showers breaking out on Friday and over the weekend. Lower confidence on shower details.

Headline for Thursday 02 May 2024: Dry. Sunny periods. Warm at lower levels but feeling colder in stronger winds over higher ridges.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 02 May 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
10%	10%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%

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Weather: Dry with rather cloudy skies and some mist patches at lower levels at first. The mist soon dispersing and good sunny spells developing.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40% at first, improving 80% during morning.

Low cloud and visibility: Patches of poor visibility at first in mist and lower cloud. Visibility soon becoming good with clouds lifting and breaking up. Some banks of cloud may linger in afternoon above about 800m in east of National Park.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	22/26 NE	26/31 NE	35/42 NE	39/48 NE	36/46 NE	33/43 NE	35/44 NE	35/42 NE	28/34 NE
600	12/16 NE	13/17 NE	17/23 NE	23/30 NE	25/34 NE	23/32 NE	21/28 NE	18/24 NE	16/22 NE
300	6/15 NE	6/17 NE	9/23 NE	12/30 NE	13/31 NE	12/30 NE	7/22 NE	7/22 NE	7/19 NE
Valley	11/20 NE	11/21 NE	13/28 NE	16/34 NE	15/32 NE	14/31 NE	8/20 NE	12/27 NE	12/24 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	11/7	11/6	10/4	8/3	10/6	11/6	9/4	7/2	6/1
600	9/7	9/6	8/4	10/6	13/8	13/9	10/7	7/3	6/2
300	10/9	10/8	10/8	14/12	16/14	16/14	13/12	9/7	8/6
Valley	13/11	13/11	13/10	16/13	18/15	18/15	16/14	12/9	11/9
Freezing Level*	2600m	2600m	2300m	2100m	2200m	2300m	2300m	2300m	2400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Quite windy over higher ridges/summits and feeling cold on the tops. Warm in the sunshine on lower slopes but higher UV levels will give an enhanced sunburn risk.

Forecast for Friday 03 May 2024

Weather: Mainly dry, bright start with patches of mist and low cloud soon dispersing. Clouds building later in the morning with an increasing risk of showers breaking out, the odd heavier one possible in the afternoon.

Maximum wind: Lighter winds, mainly easterly with average speeds of 10 to 15mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 60%

Low cloud and visibility: Generally good visibility with occasional cloud cover above about 700 to 800m. Patches of poorer visibility in early mist and as showers pass by with clouds lower down the hills.

Temperature: **Valleys:** 9 Celsius rising to 21 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 11 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the tops.

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Ground Conditions Supplement
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